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BY ECF

The Honorable Paul A. Engelmayer
United States District Judge
Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse
40 Foley Square
New York, New York 10007

Re: *United States v. Jonathan Rodriguez, et al., S6 15 Cr. 445 (PAE)*

Dear Judge Engelmayer:

The Government respectfully writes in response to the Court's Order of September 29, 2016 directing the parties to provide their best estimate of the length of trial for the Group 1 defendants, which is set to begin October 31, 2016. The Government currently anticipates that its case-in-chief will require two to three weeks of the Court's trial calendar. This estimate takes into account the Government's expectation that the trial will involve three defendants.

Respectfully submitted,

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